

THE TOBACCO ANTIDOTE.

"Without Money and Without Price."

In our anti-tobacco labors, we see thousands who are paralyzed by tobacco, who struggle to be free, but give up in despair. They need an antidote for an insatiable appetite. Resolutions must be made, and we gladly publish it to every sufferer and to the world.

To such as are utterly stupefied by the drug, and such as revel in saliva and smoke—glorying in their chance—we make no appeal; but to such as "groan, being in bondage," longing to be free, we say, Here is our antidote, friend. Try it. We ask nothing for it.

1. Make the most of your will. Drop tobacco, and resolve never to use it again in any form.

2. Go to an apothecary, and buy ten pounds of gentian root, coarsely cut, and wash it with water.

3. As much of it after each meal, as amounts to a common quid "cut out" or "cavendish."

4. Banish it well, and swallow all the rest.

5. Continue this for a few weeks, and you will come off conqueror. Then thank God, and thank us.

REASONS.

1. Gentian is a tonic, bitter in taste, and will do much to neutralize and allay your taste for tobacco.

2. Gentian is a nerve. It will brace up your relaxed and flabby nerves, and save you from the "awful goodness" under which victims agonize.

3. Gentian, for a short time, is an innocent substitute for the quid or pipe. It employs the mouth, beguiles attention, and gives a helping hand to a drowning man.

4. Despair not our antidote. Money-making men give us to understand that, should we fill millions of little boxes with gentian, mark them "Trask's Infallible Tobacco Cure," price one dollar, we should soon fill our empty coffers and become a millionaire.

5. We shall do no such thing. We shall keep our eyes open to tobacco tending to ruin the body and fasten upon the soul, and ruin nations; and we shall endeavor to try our antidote—Gentian, gentian, and the grace of God. Thousands will try it and be free.

GEO. TRASK.

Fitchburg, Mass., U.S.A.

Ghost Story.

A dispatch from Chicago of the 3d, gives us the following antics of a ghost in that locality, the truth of which is vouched for by the best people of that city:

The people in the northern portion of the city are getting excited about a ghost which haunts the Baptist Church and other localities in that vicinity, greatly to the terror of the inhabitants. It last appeared in the form of a man draped in white. Citizens who met the spirit tried to catch it, but it would instantly vanish from their sight and then shortly reappear. One man fired at it several times with his revolver without effect.

One night last week the ghost appeared in a freight train coming from the north, getting on the track in front of the engine. The engineer supposed it was a man, and he fired at it, but the train did not stop.

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THE ROMAN SENTINEL

When Pompeii was destroyed, there were many buried in the ruins of it, who were afterward found in different situations. Some were found in deep vaults, as if they had gone thither for security. There were some found who were in the streets, as if they had been attempting to make their escape. There were some found in lofty chambers. But where did they find the Roman sentinel? They found him standing at the city gate, with his hand still grasping his war weapon, where he had been placed by the captain; and there where the lava stream rolled, he stood at his post, and there after a thousand years was passed, he was found.

THE BLESSINGS OF POVERTY.—If there is anything in this world that is more grateful for than another, it is the poverty which necessitates starting life under very great advantages. Poverty is one of the greatest tests of human quality in existence. It is a sphere over it is like graduating from West Point. It develops the stuff and stamina. It is a test of the man's labor faithfully performed. A young man who cannot stand this test is not good for anything. He can never rise above a drudge or pauper. A young man who cannot feel this will harden as the yoke of poverty presses upon him, and his pluck rise with every difficulty that poverty throws in his way, may as well retire into some corner and hide himself. Poverty saves a thousand times more than it ruins, for it only ruins those who are not particularly worth saving, while it saves multitudes whom wealth would have ruined.

TO PURIFY A ROOM.—Set a pitcher of water in a room, and in a few hours it will have absorbed all the noxious gases therein, the air of which will become purer; but the water utterly filthy. The colder the water is, the greater the capacity to contain gases. At any ordinary temperature a pail of water will contain ten times as much carbonic acid gas and several times as much ammonia. The capacity is nearly 100 times as great. Hence water, kept in a room, is always unfit for use. The same reason the water from a well should always be pumped up in the morning before any of it is used, and the water is more injurious than drinking air. The above, if true, proves how necessary it is to have a purifier in the house, for we venture to say that a large majority of people use water for drinking which has "absorbed" for hours the noxious gases of their rooms. Much care is required to preserve health.

G. T. DOWNING, Frederic Douglass and other negroes have issued proposals for the publication of a first class weekly journal in the City of Washington, in the interest of the colored people in America.

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Public Speaking.

Judge R. K. Williams, desires it announced that he will address the citizens of Fulton county, at the Court House, Monday the 12th instant.

Dr. Miles will also give an account of his stewardship to the people on that day.

Johnson's Appointments.

Barber, announce that Ex-President Johnson will speak at Knoxville on Monday, and at Nashville on the 6th instant. From Nashville he will proceed to Memphis and will speak there also.

COL. PICKETT, editor of the Paducah Gazette, has been appointed postmaster at that place.

KENTUCKY, in her existence of seventy six years, never lost a cent by the defection of any State official.

THE Iron Mountain railroad is in operation a distance of forty miles north from Belmont.

W. B. GIBBS, Esq., announces himself a candidate for Attorney General in the 10th (Tennessee) Circuit.

THAT railroad bridge over the Ohio River is to be built. The Commission on Congress, to whom the question has been referred, have unanimously agreed to report a bill for constructing it.

THERE was over \$35,000 worth of furs bought at this place the present season.

THE number of registered voters in Ohio county is 595. White 356, negroes 239.

THE rumor that General Logan was lately admitted to the Methodist church at Carlinville, Ill., is correct, but he is kept on probation so long as he continues in Congress.

THE Paducah Herald says: "We saw in the market-house this morning a man peddling patent medicines, who once had the honor of being a candidate for Congress in this district, but that was some eighteen years ago, and time, tide, fate and fortune, since then have made many changes."

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The "Situation."

The present condition of the country is so unsettled and precarious that it must be evident to President Grant, if he takes the trouble to reflect, that some healing process is needed entirely different from any ever before resorted to on this continent.

Nothing of the old Government remains but the empty shell. It is a piece of machinery that is strained, cracked, and incapable of performing even the work for which it was originally designed. Running painfully and with constant danger of breaking down during the past twenty-five years of its existence, it can no longer be guided with any degree of accuracy.

See how it started forward under the new administration. Every part for itself—the Senate, the Lower House, and the President, bumping along, jostling over their respective coasts, the clamorous array of office seekers pursuing as best they can with streaming hair and eager eyes. As for the Judiciary Department of the machinery, that is virtually resting in inaction—dead as the Paris Parliament after Louis XIV.

Disatisfied.

Some of Gen. Grant's best friends—some of his best political friends—begin to look upon him as a failure, if not as a humbug. This thing of appointing all his relations to office they regard as a swindle. For instance, the Union, a Radical paper, published at Circleville, Ohio, takes him to task for his innumerable appointments of that sort. "We believe in public men," says the paper, "and we believe in public men who have been elevated to office, remembering those who assisted them in their elevation. We think it well for President Grant, now that he is safely in the White House, not to be unmindful of his friends who have placed him there. We have no objections to his rewarding Washburne and Rawlins as the deserve—no objections to his providing his 'paternal ancestors' with a good fat place—no objection, in particular to his giving all his brothers and brothers-in-law lucrative offices. But when he shows a disposition to hunt up all his wife's cousins, from the first to the forty-second, we think he is going a little too far, and would suggest that the tenure of office act be put in force to restrain him. Too many of one family, even though its name be Grant, are not desirable."

The Poisoned Chalice.

Now and then the moral people of the North are permitted to have a slight taste of the horrors which they have inflicted upon the helpless people of the Southern States. By the reconstruction policy the semi-savage negro has been put in virtual possession of the best part of the country, and has been incited by every conceivable means to deeds of violence and acts of outrage upon the subjugated and defenceless whites. The negro has not been slow to profit by these lessons; in his favorite role of Ravisher he has played a bold and active part, while the saints of radicalism have looked on with undisguised satisfaction.

But the invention of wickedness ever returns to plague the inventor. Negroes imbued with the principles they have learned in the South occasionally cross the Virginia-North line and give the virtuous Northmen a taste of the same.

At a point near the Pennsylvania line, a girl thirteen years of age, a native of Kentucky, was ravished by a negro, a native of the South, who was arrested and committed to jail for perpetrating these outrages.

There is but little doubt of his being the guilty party. The excitement in the community was intense, and Friday night an effort was made to take Norris from jail and hang him. No less than eight hundred people gathered about the building, and speeches were made by a number of prominent citizens, and the mob was induced to disperse. The prison has since been guarded by a strong force summoned by the sheriff. The young ladies outraged are daughters of three most respectable farmers in that vicinity.

If such a mob had assembled in the South for such a purpose, it would have been styled a "Kuklux" outrage.

MEXICO.

Revolutionary State of the Country—Juarez About to Call in the United States.

From the New York Herald.
MONTEREY, Feb. 28, 1869.

As I informed you in my former letter that the whole country was in a revolutionary blaze, it is now verified. We are in possession of reliable information respecting the conduct. The opposition party have made serious developments respecting the funds of the revolution. It appears that Juarez has \$800,000. Lerdo de Tejada \$500,000, Mejia \$300,000 and the balance divided to other officials nearly \$2,000,000. The rest belonged to commercial parties. As you are aware, the conduct amounted \$3,040,000; so you will perceive since the installation of Juarez they have had fat pickings.

Negrete has defeated a part of the government forces, and it is presumed that the balance of the forces of the government will turn over to Negrete.

It is also stated that Juarez will give a manifesto to the nation, alleging that he cannot govern the country without the aid of the protection of the United States, and requires a protectorate.

As you are aware, the butcher Escobedo is doing his work in Tamaulipas by special order from the general government, exterminating and burning villages and towns, much more than during the time of the empire. There is now no drum head court martial; a man is caught and shot down like a dog. This is savage in the extreme, and goes far ahead of all the atrocities ever committed by the imperialists.

We have also information of a proclamation at San Luis, caused by the general government ordering Juan Bustamante, an officer to the people and mercantile community, to receive the government from its present possessor. They have armed themselves to defend the present Governor. So the thing goes.

The general government has sent a draft for five thousand dollars, the monthly payment given to this State for the defense of the Indians, according to the general Congress. This is a drop of water in the bucket, as the urgent monetary situation is serious in the extreme, as they have no resources whatever to carry on the machinery of government, and all the burden is laid upon foreigners, who have to foot the bills. Where will we get the aid and protection necessary? It is now of absolute importance that General Grant should take a decided step in this matter.

A Deckhand Inherits a Fortune.

Henry Murty was, many years ago, employed as a deckhand about Pittsburgh on steamers owned by the Poo family. More lately he was with Captain Tom Rogers, on the St. Louis and New Orleans packet W. H. Osborn. Capt. Rogers was his warmest friend, taking great interest in his welfare and befriending him by example and advice in such a manner that Henry entertained a strong affection for him. Henry was only a deckhand or fireman, and certainly never rose to a higher grade than watchman, but he was a shrewd fellow when sober, little thinking what great things were in store for him. It will be remembered that when the late President died, through the agency of his lawyer, Mr. Broadhead, was lately handed the sum of one hundred and ninety-five thousand dollars, and the real estate, lands and stocks which accrued to him, will raise the amount of wealth now possessed by this lately friendless and seemingly contented Irishman, to four or five hundred thousand dollars. What'll he do with it?—*St. Louis Democrat.*

THE EVENT OF THE PERIOD.—It is whispered in Washington that Mrs. Grant is in that interesting condition in which ladies who love their lords delight to be, and will add another heir to the house of Grant, another olive branch at his table, and a little arrow to his quiver. That ubiquitous court journal, the New York Herald, has delicately prepared the public mind for the event by a mysterious allusion to the lady's health, and as she will be the first President's wife who has ever given birth to a child in the White House, the occasion will doubtless be the cause of honest rejoicing among all the people who voted for the happy father that is to be, who will be perfectly satisfied in their own mind, that "the nation" will owe this auspicious event to the fact of their having been original Grant men. If a boy, the coming young man, being a bona fide original Grant boy, should be immediately appointed to some office in order not to interfere with the time-honored custom of the family. It will not be necessary for him to do the duties of his office. His pa can publish an order relieving him and let him draw his pay.

Hard Times.

Portly female meets a seedy young man.
"Well, sur, I'm goin' to tell yez my situation."
S. Y. M.—"Well, madam, I am rejoiced to know that you have a situation. For my part I have been looking for a situation these six months, and haven't found it yet."
P. F.—"Tut-mum! Don't be foolin' wid me. I'm a poor woman, and haven't a cent."
S. Y. M.—"That's my fix exactly. I haven't a cent, and don't know where my next meal is to come from."
P. F., persistent—"If ye please, sur, I'd like a five cents to buy me a thrifle of bread."
S. Y. M.—"So would I, but I'm bustled. Haven't a cent. Could you tell me where I could get a job of work, so that I could make a raise of a few dollars?"
P. F., in wrath—"Och, go to hell, and may the devil fly away wid yez; I'll ax no more."

THE plan of the Radical leaders in Congress now is to exclude the Democratic delegations of Georgia and Louisiana, and then to refuse seats to a sufficient number of Democratic members from other States to secure to their party the coveted three-fourths vote, and that they would get a job of work, so that I could make a raise of a few dollars.

P. F., in wrath—"Och, go to hell, and may the devil fly away wid yez; I'll ax no more."

WE SHALL SOON FLY.—Bernard Cressler, of this State, has constructed a flying machine, which, he maintains, is capable of carrying a man through the air with safety. We examined this marvellously intricate piece of mechanism in its embry state, and there seems to be some plausibility in the claims of the inventor. It has wings about two feet in length. It is contended that if they are extended thirteen additional feet, covering 900 square feet of ground, with silk attached, the flying machine can be operated successfully.—*Harrisburg (Pa.) Patriot.*

We have heard the opinion expressed that Andrew Johnson will again be Governor of Tennessee and United States Senator. There are men living who believe more than this—that he will again be President. The Greenville, Tennessee correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial says:

"Strangely enough there are many people here who honestly believe that Johnson will be President of the United States again before he shuffles off this mortal coil. I met with one of these believers in a future state for A. J., a few days ago, and he said: 'Yes, I firmly believe that he will again be President of the United States. He is but sixty years old, and as stout as though he were but thirty, and smart—well, the world has not his equal. So far from losing his mental powers, they get stronger day by day, as you will see before the end of the summer, after he gets rested a little and turns loose on old Stokes. Thirty-five years ago, when he was at work in his little shop down yonder, if I had said that man will be President of the United States, I would have been called a fool, and with good reason. But are not the chances better now than they were then? Time will demonstrate that I am right—wait and see.'"

WAR FOR THE KNIFE.—Advises from Cuba from patriot sources state that Cespedes has replied to Dulce's declaration of war to the knife, by a decree that all persons taken hereafter, excepting regular Spanish soldiers, are to be immediately put to death.

Council Proceedings.

HICKMAN, March 29.

Council met. Present the Mayor, Councilmen, Harless, McCutchen, Lauderdale, Hubbard, and Frenz.

The finance committee made no report.

The street committee reported that they had the boundaries of Moulton street re-established by A. E. Brevard, County Surveyor, and had notified John Miller, agent of Mrs. Mary F. Miller, of the fact, and stated that the fence should be removed.

By reason of a mistake discovered in the report of J. H. Morehead, late city clerk, on Monday the matter was referred to the Finance committee for their investigation.

On motion, an order was directed to be drawn on the Treasurer for \$5 in favor of A. E. Brevard for establishing the boundaries of Moulton street.

After was read to the Council from M. Burns late President of the N. and W. R. Company, coming upon the city through the Mayor to know what arrangements the Council could make to pay thirty coupons which he held against the city.

(A motion was made and instructed to write Mr. Burns, and inform him that they could pay nothing on the aforesaid coupons the present year.)

F. Cheate, of St. C. Heine made application for renewal of coffee house license, which were granted.

Major Lauderdale stated to the Council that he held a bond No. 55, payable to Strake Kirby & Co., of St. Louis, Mo., dated January 16th, 1866, for \$500, with a credit of \$25 paid in 1867; and that he had lost said bond, and desired the council to direct their clerk to issue to said parties a duplicate bond on his making an affidavit as to the genuineness of the said bond, and the fact of its loss.

On motion, the request was granted.

The Council then adjourned.

—B. R. WALKER, Clerk.

The Negro Question.

It is evident that the negro question is rapidly declining in importance. That the inevitable negro is about to give place to something else, must be gratifying to all, although some Radical dispeed may feel grieved at the speedy disappearance of their cherished "colored friends" from the stage. The national debt, the innumerable office-holders, the military governments existing in one part of the country, and the many violations of the constitution, is forcing him out of the way, and daily remind all of the rich blessings the question has brought upon us.

TENNESSEE.—A general election throughout the State, for Judges, will be held on the 24th day of May. In the nomination of candidates, it is urged that a party nomination ought not to be made, because politics are no part of a Judge's qualification, and because it would bring defeat. This policy—for it is a policy—will do away with conventions, and therefore friends do not hesitate to argue that conventions ought not to be held.

DOCTORING THE MORMONS.—Mr. Julian has introduced a bill in the House of Representatives "To discourage Polygamy in Utah by granting the right of suffrage to the Women of that Territory." It provides that the right of suffrage may be exercised by the people "without any distinction or discrimination whatever on account of sex."

Whether this would be a discouragement of polygamy or an encouragement, may be questionable. Who knows but its effect might be to produce a rush in the direction of the promised land by those who look upon the ballot as an essential ingredient in the female pursuit of happiness?

OBITUARY.

Died on the 23rd of February, 1869, at Minneapolis, Minnesota, of pulmonary tuberculosis, SAMUEL H. WILSON, of Ohio county, Tenn., aged 24 years, 6 months, and 23 days.

The deceased was a son of F. H. and Phebe Wilson, who were, in days gone by, well known and much respected by many in this vicinity. His mother, brother, and sisters, are still left to regret his loss; but his father and one brother has gone before him to that land where the changes of time are unknown.

The deceased, who leaves behind him many sorrowing friends, was a young man of great promise, and was greatly beloved by all who knew him. He was just in the early bloom of his young manhood when the late unfortunate war broke out, and like most of the gallant young men of the South, entered the Confederate Army soon after the commencement of hostilities, and served the "land we love" as a brave and faithful soldier 'till stern necessity compelled the people of the South to ground their arms. Though saddened by this unfortunate end of the terrible struggle, he, like most of his fellow soldiers, returned at once to the peaceful avocations of life, unmolested by the disastrous past, with unshaken courage, resolving to forget in a career of usefulness the mournful events of the war. But, alas! hardly had he entered this new field of labor before his manly energies were palsied by the hand of disease.

About one year before his death, while in the South, he took severe cold, from which he anticipated no danger, nor experienced any great inconvenience. In fact, from that time until the hour of his death, so imperceptible was his decline, and so steadily the approach of the grim enemy, that he scarcely realized that he was in danger. Yet, slowly and surely the inevitable hour was creeping on, but like the brave and gallant soldier, he was not taken by surprise. Full panoplied in the armor of light, he encountered the King of Terrors, and vanquished him even in the hour of his triumph. Calmly and with his mind in perfect composure to the last moment, he passed away.

Mr. Wilson, by the advice of his physicians, went to Minnesota, to try the benefit of that cold and dry climate, but notwithstanding he had the very best medical attention, and kind nursing, nothing seemed to check the steady approach of the fell destroyer. He had the consolation of his fond mother's presence and unwearied care to soothe and cheer him in his prolonged illness; besides, the kindest attention of the many new friends, which his noble bearing and unflinching fortitude gathered around him. He frequently said, "Death had no sorrow for him," for he had the presence of the Everlasting Father as his shield and buckler, and was upheld by Him who had himself passed through the dark valley and shadow of death before him, and took away the sting of death for all his faithful followers. Oh! who can tell what a consolation it was to him that he could say:

Soon and forever the soldier lay down.
The warfare accomplished and the victory won.
Soon and forever the soldier lay down.
The sword for a harp, the cross for a crown;
Soon and forever—such promise our trust
Takes ashes to ashes and dust to dust;
Soon and forever our union shall be
Made perfect, my glorious Redeemer, in thee.

This has passed away a gallant christian gentleman, but his relations and friends sorrow not as those without hope, for they cherish the belief that there is rest for the people of God beyond the veil, and that their loved and lost one is now enjoying the blissful repose of that land of the blessed.

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